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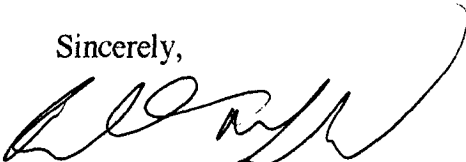
Dear Executive Director Snow,

I urge you to ensure that CalFed creates and selects a "Conservation Alternative" (a fourth alternative) based in conservation and restoration to provide ample and high quality water for California's families, wildlife, farms, and businesses into the 21st century. The "Conservation Alternative" would:

- Restore and protect our watersheds and groundwater basins for high quality, reliable water for people and wildlife;
- Ensure effective conservation programs and economic incentives to use our water more efficiently;
- Maximize water efficiency before even considering costly new dams, reservoirs, and canals; and
- Restore California's fish, birds, wetlands, rivers, delta and bays.

Please enter these comments into the formal record for your Draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Report and Statement.

Sincerely,



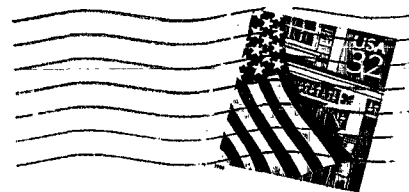
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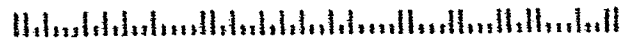
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